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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This paper is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 1, 2009, having a shortened statutory period set to expire on December 1, 2009. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

No Amendments to the Specification are presented in this paper.

No Amendments to the Drawings are presented in this paper.

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**Remarks/Arguments** begin on **page 9** of this paper.